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/N.F./	P	5,036,461	7/30/91	Elliott			
/N.F./	Q	5,050,212	9/17/91	Dyson			
/N.F./	R	5,075,862	12/24/91	Doeberl			
/N.F./	S	5,083,271	1/21/92	Thacher			
/N.F./	T	5,112,051	5/12/92	Darling			
/N.F./	U	5,136,646	8/4/92	Haber			
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/N.F./	W	5,155,680	10/13/92	Wiedemer			
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/N.F./	Y	5,189,700	2/23/93	Blandford			
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/V.F./	H1	5,288,978	2/22/94	Iijima			
/V.F./	I1	5,319,710	6/7/94	Atalla			
/V.F./	J1	5,347,579	9/13/94	Blandford			
/V.F./	K1	5,347,580	9/13/94	Molva			
/V.F./	L1	5,349,642	9/20/94	Kingdon			
/V.F./	M1	5,351,293	9/27/94	Michener			
/V.F./	N1	5,355,413	10/11/94	Ohno			
/V.F./	O1	5,359,510	10/25/94	Sabaliauskas			
/V.F./	P1	5,377,268	12/27/94	Hunter			
/V.F./	Q1	5,386,468	1/31/95	Akiyama			
/V.F./	R1	5,400,319	3/21/95	Fite			
/V.F./	S1	5,412,575	5/2/95	Constant			
/V.F./	T1	5,416,840	5/16/95	Cane			
/V.F./	N1	Re. 34,954	5/30/95	Haber			
/V.F./	V1	5,434,918	7/18/95	Kung			
/V.F./	W1	5,497,419	3/5/96	Hill			
/V.F./	X1	5,499,294	3/12/96	Friedman			
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/N.F./	C2	5,923,763	7/13/99	Walker			
/N.F./	D2	5,850,447	12/15/98	Peyret			
/N.F./	E2	US 2003/0060286 A1	3/27/03	Walker			
/N.F./	F2	5,960,403	9/99	Brown			
/N.F./	G2	4,666,160	5/87	Hamilton			
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/N.F./	J2	5,416,840	5/16/95	Cane			
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/N.F./	N2	5,333,106	7/26/94	Lanpher			
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/V.F./	X2	5,899,998	5/4/99	McGauley			
/V.F./	W2	5,913,197	6/15/99	Kameda			
/V.F./	Z2	5,923,018	7/13/99	Kameda			
/V.F./	A3	3,943,336	3/9/76	Dillard			
/V.F./	B3	4,047,000	9/6/77	Bryant			
/V.F./	C3	4,108,364	8/22/78	Tanaka			
/V.F./	D3	4,123,747	10/31/78	Lancto			
/V.F./	E3	4,253,158	2/24/81	McFiggans			
/V.F./	F3	4,376,299	3/8/83	Rivest			
/V.F./	G3	4,637,051	1/13/87	Clark			
/V.F./	H3	4,641,346	2/3/87	Clark			
/V.F./	I3	4,641,347	2/3/87	Clark			
/V.F./	J3	4,660,221	4/21/87	Dlugos			
/V.F./	K3	4,807,287	2/21/89	Tucker			
/V.F./	L3	4,835,713	5/30/89	Pastor			
/V.F./	M3	4,855,580	8/8/89	Van Maane			
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/V.F./	R3	5,464,971	11/7/95	Sutcliffe			
/V.F./	S3	5,490,217	2/6/96	Wang			
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/V.F./	X3	6,188,766	2/2001	Kocher			
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/V.F./	D4	2004/0015132	01/2004	Brown			
/V.F./	E4	5,975,529	11/1999	de Keller			
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